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In Re Application of:

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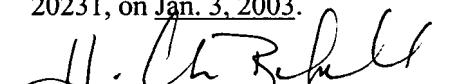
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Examiner: Rita Leykin

Filed: January 24, 2001

For: **STARTING DEVICE AND METHOD**  
**FOR ELIMINATING A PEAK CURRENT**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

The Office Action mailed October 4, 2002 (Paper No. 6) has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please consider the following remarks.